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onstruction of the 303 stack interchange will be a positive in Buckeye's future.

Remember how excited we were to hear that the stretch of Interstate 10 would be widened from the Loop 101 to Verrado Way? That work meant easing for residents' commutes into Phoenix and at the same time caught the eye of developers looking to the west.

The sound of the future is rumbling toward Buckeye again as crews have started intense construction work on the interchange that will link I-10 with up to six lanes of Loop 303 north to U. S. 60 in Surprise.

I wondered years ago as planners suggested how construction of the Loop 101 interchange with I-10 would bring development. Look around you as you drive that interchange today and see just how the retail and commercial development has followed in its wake.

Sure, that construction will cause some traffic delays, but ADOT engineers have planned the construction timeline to keep those delays to a minimum. Work will be scheduled at non-peak, nighttime and on weekends to have the least amount of inconvenience as possible.

The state's commitment of \$130 million to expand I-10 for safety, convenience and future development's sake has opened up the corridor to Buckeye in a very positive way.

Because the new interchange will actually be physically located in the City of Goodyear, that municipality will probably reap the most development benefits like the 101 interchange did for Avondale and Tolleson. At least early on.

However, the development that resulted from the Loop 101 construction didn't stop at the Avondale city limits, and I don't think the new development will stop at Perryville Road, Goodyear's western edge, once the Loop 303 interchange is completed.

Eventually that development will be headed toward Buckeye, the region's connection to the west. And it will help focus the economic development spotlight on the entire west Valley, virtually assuring Buckeye's growth in the years to come.



New Council member sees economic development, communication as keys to Buckeye's future

Michelle Hess is a new face on the Buckeye Town Council. Elected earlier this year to represent District 3 for the next four years, she sees economic development and communication as important to Buckeye's future.

In fact, Hess feels upcoming projects along the Miller Road corridor could not only be a positive force in that part of Buckeye, but those projects could jumpstart economic development in other sections of the Town.

Previous tough decisions were made that have left the Town in much more of a financially stable position to provide the opportunities ahead, she said.

"Although there may not be huge excesses of funds, in the next fours years, I desire to work hard to keep our Town financially sound," she said. "Development is the next focus. Developing in the Town will help create new revenues, jobs and resources."

Building relationships are keys to just about everything in life, Hess said.

"The council is hard at work developing and cultivating relationships inside and outside of the Town to create an appeal and vision of our Town. "Those relationships will help in Buckeye's economic development efforts," Hess added.

Hess' communication skills have helped those in need by orchestrating partnerships with local agencies and churches. In fact, Hess has been largely involved in many community projects and events sponsored by the Local 4311 Buckeye Firefighters Union and Charities.

Besides communicating with outside entities, Hess feels it's equally important to use those skills to communicate with residents.

"There are exciting things happening in Buckeye from financial stability to growth and I believe people want to know this and be involved in what happens in Buckeye," Hess said

"We have great opportunities for individuals to serve on boards, committees and panels to help the Town's leadership make decisions. The only way people will know of these opportunities is by getting the information into their hands."

Hess, who has lived in Arizona for 27 years and in Buckeye for the past five years with her husband, McKenzie, and their three children, feels Buckeye has come a long way in just a few short years.

"There are good things happening now, and while there are still some difficult decisions ahead, there is a great potential for Buckeye. We want everyone to know about it."



Help send local children back to school with a backpack full of school supplies.

With the start of school just around the corner, it's almost time for back-to-school shopping. The Community Action Program supports families in need by distributing donated school supplies and new backpacks through our Pack-A-Pack Back to School

Assistance Program. Buckeye area children whose parent(s) apply for assistance will be selected through an application process. In order for the program to be successful, we need help from the community.

Donations may be dropped off at the Buckeye Community Center at 201 East Centre Ave, cross street of Miller Road, between 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., from June 4 thru August 13. We will be collecting supplies for children from kindergarten thru 8th grade. Residents are advised to visit the Town's website www.buckeyeaz.gov/cap for the wish list of school supplies or to stop by the Buckeye Community Center to obtain a list. For additional information, please call Krista Cornish at 623-349-6608.

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Before and after school enrichment program for kids to grow and make friends as they participate in arts and activities.

For more information visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/communityservices



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6-9:80PM

Youngker High School 3000 S. Apache Rd.

All-American Eats and Treats Old Fashion Family Fun Zone

Sack races, tug o' war, and more!

Spectacular Fireworks at Dark!

Water Games

Slip N' Slides!

24ft High Water Slide!





SUMMER 2012 - CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Opening Day at Buckeye Pool

Saturday, May 19 (Noon – 5 p.m.) 207 N. 9th Street

Check out the coolest place to be in Buckeye during the hot summer months. For more information on Aquatics Programs visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics

Saturday, June 16, 2012 FREE Pool Day Noon - 5pm

207 N. 9th Street

The Town of Buckeye has partnered with CORE Construction to offer you a day at the pool – FREE of charge! Join us for a day of fun in the sun and receive useful information on water safety, sun safety and drowning prevention information.

For more information visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics



Wednesday, July 4, 2012

Buckeye's Independence Day Celebration

6 - 9:30pm

Youngker High School - 3000 S. Apache Rd.

The Town of Buckeye has partnered with the Buckeye Main Street Coalition to bring you an Independence Day Celebration you won't soon forget. It is hot! So we will have a water game area with a dunk tank, slip 'n slides, and even a 24ft. high waterslide. Admission is FREE of charge! For those wanting to stay dry, bring a lawn chair and enjoy the music, food, treats, and fireworks at dark.

For more information contact Daniel Higgins at 623-349-6313 or visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/events

Saturday, July 14, 2012 FREE Pool Day Noon - 5pm

207 N. 9th Street

The Town of Buckeye has partnered with the United Buckeye Firefighters Union to bring you yet another day at the pool – FREE of charge! Join your local firefighters for a day of fun with planned activities and giveaways.

For more information visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics



Sponsored by
United Buckeye Firefighters Union

Friday, August 17, 2012 Quarter Auction Craze

Dr. Robert A. Saide Recreation Center 1003 E. Eason Avenue

The Town of Buckeye Community Services Department is hosting a Quarter Auction Craze. The doors open at 5 p.m. Auction starts at 6 p.m. Vendors such as Mary Kay, Scentsy, 31 purses, and many more will be on hand.

For more information, contact Phil Yabes at 623-346-6604 or visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/events

Sundance Park – Coming Soon!

The construction of Sundance Park is quickly progressing since the groundbreaking on February 9. The future

park, located at 22865 W. Lower Buckeye Road (southwest corner of Rainbow Road and Lower Buckeye Road) has been cleared and graded. Construction is anticipated to be complete by midsummer; however the Grand Opening for the park is planned for late-September to allow time for the turf to grow. The park will feature two softball fields, two Little League baseball fields, soccer/football field, restrooms and concession building, playground, dog park, walking path, and parking.

The Town's Community Services Department is seeking volunteers to assist in a community build of the playground equipment, planned for mid-September. Also, the Town is reaching out to the community and businesses to donate funds to enhance playground/agility equipment as well as add components to the new dog park area. Sundance Park will provide healthy recreational opportunities for all Buckeye residents, including pets and their owners

The Town of Buckeye has not had an opening of a major park in over 40 years and anticipates thousands of individuals to be in attendance as we make this historic addition to our park system. Anyone interested in volunteering or donating to either of these causes or Grand Opening sponsorship opportunities contact, staff liaison, Daniel Higgins at dhiggins@buckeyeaz.gov or 623- 349-6313. More detailed information about the community build for the playground equipment and the Grand Opening will be in the next publication.

TOWN OF BUCKEYE AQUATICS



Aquatic Programs Opening Day is Saturday, May 19!

Beat the heat this summer at the Buckeye Aquatic Center. Our facility offers a zero depth area with water features, a 10-foot high dive, low dive and an awesome 160 foot slide! Don't miss out on the summer's coolest place to be for family-friendly

fun in the Town of Buckeye.

Open Swim: \$2 per person entry fee

\$50 Single Season Pass / \$150 Family of 6 Pass

Dates: May 19 – August 11, 2012
Days: Monday through Saturday

Times: Noon – 5 p.m.

*Open Swim Closes @ 3:30 p.m. on June 7 and July 5 due to home swim meets

Dates: August 12 – September 3, 2012

Day & Time: Wednesday 3 – 6:30 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday Noon - 6 p.m. Labor Day (Sept 3rd) Noon - 6 p.m.

Night Swim: \$2 per person entry fee
Dates: May 21 - August 1, 2012

Days: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Times: 6:30 – 9 p.m.

Dates: August 7 – August 30, 2012

Days: Tuesday & Thursday

Times: 7 - 9 p.m.

Water Aerobics: \$1 per person each class or season pass for \$40

Dates: May 21 – August 31, 2012
Days: Monday through Friday

Times: 7– 8 a.m.

Lap Swim: \$1 per person each visit or season pass for \$40

Dates: May 21 – September 1, 2012
Days/Times: Monday through Friday: 7 – 8 a.m.

Monday through Thursday: 5:15 - 6:45 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. - Noon

TOT Swim Time: \$2 per person

Tot swim time is a time reserved for parents and their little swimmers age 5 and under to have fun in the sun and enjoy the beachfront portion of our pool including water features. This time is strictly reserved for those 5 & under with their parents; the slide, diving boards and deep end will not be available for use.

Dates: May 25 – August 10, 2012

Days: Fridays

Times: 8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

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Party Rentals: Private or Group pool reservations are available at the Buckeye Aquatic Center. All pool reservations are first come first serve and require a \$50 deposit fee.

Rental applications are available at www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics.

All group or private group rental applications are to be submitted at the Recreation Center 1003 E. Eason Ave. Buckeye AZ 85326 Monday – Thursday 9am-7pm. Additional inquiries about pool rentals please call 623-349-6350 or email jthompson@buckeyeaz.gov

Private Rentals:

Resident \$100 / hr (2hr min.) / Non Resident \$125 / hr (2hr min.) - \$50 security deposit required at time of reservation.

Davs & Time:

Thursdays 7 – 9:30 p.m. (5/24-8/2)Fridays 5:30 – 9:30 p.m. (5/25-8/3)Saturday 5:30 – 9:30 p.m. (5/26-9/1)Sundays 1 – 7 p.m. (5/27-8/5)

Group Admissions:

\$1.50 per person (minimum of 15 people) - \$20 security deposit required at time of reservation.

Days & Time:

Monday - Saturday, Noon-5 p.m. (open swim hours only)

High School Swim Clinic: Resident \$30 / Non Resident \$40

This swim clinic is designed to prepare swimmers for the upcoming High School swim season. The clinic is an opportunity for new and experienced swimmers to learn new and exciting swimming techniques. Swimmers will be taught stroke techniques and refinement, injury prevention, nutrition and competitive swimming training. Registration required.

Dates: July 23 – August 3, 2012
Days/Times: Monday through Friday
Times: 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Jr. Lifeguard Program: Resident \$20 / Non Resident \$30

This program allows youth 12-15 years old to learn basic lifeguard responsibilities and aquatic safety emphasizing teamwork and leadership skills. Participants will learn lifeguard rescue techniques, CPR, First Aid and aquatic skills. Jr. Lifeguards will develop and improve throughout the summer assisting aquatic staff in various programs.

Coursework Dates: May 21 – May 25, 2012
Days: Monday through Friday
Times: 9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Location: Dr. Saide Recreation Center – 1003 E. Eason Ave.

Available Volunteer Dates: May 21 – July 13, 2013

After coursework is completed participants are required to volunteer at the aquatic center each week.

TOWN OF BUCKEYE AQUATICS

Swim Team and Lesson registrations are now being accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. Registrations will also be accepted at the Aquatic Center Monday – Saturday / 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. beginning May 19, 2012.

Call 623-349-6350 or visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics for more information

Buckeye Bullfrog Swim Team: Resident \$50 / Non Resident \$60

May 14 - July 12, 2012 (evening practices week of May 14th)

*Special arrangements will be made for those participants that don't get out of school until the end of May)

The Buckeye Bullfrog Swim Team's goal is to provide an atmosphere that cultivates good sportsmanship for participants while encouraging them to have fun with their friends and learn new skills. This program participates in the MarWest league and will have meets on Thursday evening and Saturday mornings. Practices are Monday, Tuesday,

Wednesday and Friday mornings. Please see below for a schedule of age/skill level groups. Swim team is for youth 5 – 18 years old that can enter the water independently and swim 25 yards (length of the pool).

Age Group	Practice Times	Course Number
13 – 18 years	7:30 – 8:30 am	3318
11 – 12 years	8:30 – 9:30 am	3317
9 – 10 years	9:30 – 10:15 am	3316
7 – 8 years	10:15 – 11:00 am	3315
5 – 6 years	8:30 – 9:00 am	3314

Swim Lesson Classes: Resident \$20 / Non-Resident \$30

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It is the Town of Buckeye Community Services - Recreation Division policy that no refunds will be issued after the start of the course. Refunds must be requested 4 business days prior to the course start date. A \$2 processing fee will be added to each refund request.

Check out our class descriptions online at www.buckeyeaz.gov/aquatics

Morning Classes - Monday through Thursday						
Duration	Session 1 June 4 – 14	Session 2 June 18 – 28	Session 3 July 2 – 12 *Classes will be held 7/4	Session 4 July 16 - 26		
8:00 - 8:30	Parent Child 3320	Parent Child 3322	Parent Child 3325	Parent Child 3326		
8:40 - 9:10	Preschool 1 3340 Preschool 3 3381 Level 2 3420 Level 4 3463	Preschool 1 3345 Preschool 3 3384 Level 2 3425 Level 4 3465	Preschool 1 3350 Preschool 3 3387 Level 2 3430 Level 4 3467	Preschool 1 3355 Preschool 3 3390 Level 2 3435 Level 4 3470		
9:20 - 9:50	Preschool 2 3364 Level 1 3400 Level 2 3421 Level 3 3443	Preschool 2 3368 Level 1 3405 Level 2 3426 Level 3 3446	Preschool 2 3372 Level 1 3410 Level 3 3449 Level 4 3468	Preschool 2 3375 Level 1 3414 Level 3 3453 Level 4 3471		
10:00 – 10:30	Preschool Prep 3328 Preschool 1 3341 Level 2 3422 Intro to Swim 3487	Preschool Prep 3330 Preschool 1 3346 Level 2 3427 Intro to Swim 3488	Preschool Prep 3334 Level 2 3431 Level 3 3450 Intro to Swim 3489	Preschool Prep 3336 Level 2 3436 Level 3 3454 Intro to Swim 3490		

^{*}There will be no make up of lessons cancelled due to inclement weather

^{**}Classes must have a minimum of 4 registered participants

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10:40 – 11:10	Preschool 2 3365 Preschool 3 3382 Level 1 3401 Level 3 3444	Preschool 2 3369 Preschool 3 3385 Level 1 3406 Level 3 3447	Preschool 1 3354 Preschool 3 3388 Level 1 3411 Level 3 3451	Preschool 1 3356 Preschool 3 3391 Level 1 3415 Level 3 3455	
11:20 – 11:50	Preschool 1 3342 Preschool 2 3366 Level 1 3402 Swim Team Prep 3477 Fitness Swim 3491 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3347 Preschool 2 3370 Level 1 3407 Swim Team Prep 3479 Fitness Swim 3493 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3351 Preschool 2 3373 Level 2 3432 Swim Team Prep 3481 Fitness Swim 3495 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3357 Preschool 2 3376 Level 2 3437 Swim Team Prep 3483 Fitness Swim 3497 Private Lessons	
	Evening C *Session 1 eve *Session 3 ev	Classes - Monday th ning class on June 7 will be r ening class on July 5 will be r	rough Thursday noved to Friday, June 8 noved to Friday, July 6		
5:10 - 5:40	Preschool 1 3343 Preschool 3 3383 Level 1 3403 Level 4 3464 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3348 Preschool 3 3386 Level 1 3408 Level 4 3466 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3352 Preschool 3 3389 Level 1 3412 Level 4 3469 Private Lessons	Preschool 1 3358 Preschool 3 3392 Level 1 3416 Level 4 3472 Private Lessons	
5:45 - 6:15	Parent Child 3321 Level 1 3404 Level 2 3423 Level 3 3445 Swim Team Prep 3478	Parent Child 3348 Level 1 3386 Level 2 3428 Level 3 3448 Swim Team Prep 3480	Parent Child 3325 Level 1 3413 Level 2 3433 Level 3 3452 Swim Team Prep 3482	Parent Child 3327 Level 1 3417 Level 2 3438 Level 3 3456 Swim Team Prep 3484	
6:20 - 6:50	Preschool Prep 3329 Preschool 1 3344 Preschool 2 3367 Level 2 3424 Fitness Swim 3492	Preschool Prep 3331 Preschool 1 3349 Preschool 2 3371 Level 2 3429 Fitness Swim 3494	Preschool Prep 3335 Preschool 1 3353 Preschool 2 3374 Level 2 3434 Fitness Swim 3496	Preschool Prep 3337 Preschool 1 3359 Preschool 2 3377 Level 2 3439 Fitness Swim	
	5	Saturday Morning C	lasses		
Duration	June 2	2 – 23	July 7 – July 28		
9:00 - 9:45	Parent Ch Fitness Sv Private L	wim 3499	Parent Child 3333 Fitness Swim 3500 Private Lessons		
10:00 – 10:45	Preschool Prep 3338 Preschool 1 3360 Preschool 2 3378 Level 3 3457 Swim Team Prep 3485 Intro to Swim 3501		Preschool Prep 3339 Preschool 1 3362 Preschool 2 3379 Level 3 3458 Swim Team Prep 3486 Intro to Swim 3502		
11:00 – 11:45	Preschool 1 3361 Preschool 3 3393 Level 1 3418 Level 2 3440 Level 4 3473		Preschool 1 3363 Preschool 3 3394 Level 1 3419 Level 2 3441 Level 4 3474		

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CENTENNIAL SUMMER



Join the Town of Buckeye for an action packed summer program. This summer, your child will participate in daily activities such as arts and crafts, games, sports, cooking projects, and activities themed around Arizona's culture.

Ongoing registrations accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center-Early Registration Recommended

Summer Camp

When: May 21-August 3, 2012* Registration: \$25 One-Time Fee (Includes T-Shirt)

* No program 5/28 or 7/4 Weekly Fee: 1st Child- \$100/week or \$25/day

* No program 5/28 or 7/4 Weekly Fee: 1st Child- \$100/week or \$25/day
Days: Monday - Friday 2nd Child- \$90/week or \$20/day
Times: 6 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. DES Funding Accepted

Ages: Youth entering 1st - 8th grades

Where: Inca Elementary - 23601 W. Durango St.

Field Trips: Field Trips included with the EXCEPTION of Sunsplash, Circus, and Amazing Jakes which are available at an additional discounted fee.

• Summer camp program is a licensed all day program

• Breakfast and Lunch are served daily by the Buckeye Elementary School District

• Participants must be signed in and out of the program each day by a parent/guardian

• To register you must have a copy of the child's immunization records and first week's payment



Summer Recreation

When: May 29 – July 20, 2012*

* No program 7/4
Days: Monday-Friday
Times: 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Who: Youth entering 1st - 8th grades
Where: Buckeye Elementary School

210 S 6th St.



Registration: (2 Options)

Summer Pass: \$60 Resident / \$70 Non-Resident

one-time registration fee

Fee Includes T-Shirt & 8 week program

-OR- Day Pass: \$5 Resident / \$10 Non-Resident

Youth entering 1st-8th grades are welcome to attend Summer Rec including field trips with purchase of a day pass.



- Breakfast and Lunch are served daily by the Buckeye Elementary School District
- Summer Rec is a drop in program
- Early registration is recommended
- Children will be placed in age appropriate groups for field trips and activities
- Participants of Summer Rec may choose to participate in field trips or stay back to enjoy activities.



Lil' Squirts Summer Recreation

When: May 29 – July 20, 2012*

* No program 7/4

Days: Monday-Friday Times: 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Ages: Youth ages 3-5

Registration: \$25 One-Time Fee (Includes T-Shirt)

Weekly Fee: \$40/week or \$15/day

DES Funding Accepted

Where: Dr. Saide Recreation Center - 1003 E. Eason Ave.

Field Trips: Participants may choose to participate in field trips at an additional fee or stay back to enjoy activities

- Lil' Squirts Summer Recreation is a licensed program
- Lunch is provided daily
- Participants must be signed in and out of the program each day by a parent/quardian
- To register you must have a copy of the child's immunization records and first week's payment

Summer Field Trips:

Week	Date	Trip	Summer Rec Cos	Lil' Squirts Cost	Summer Camp Cost
Week 1	Wed, May 30	Skate Zone	\$9	n/a	-
Week 2	Wed, June 6	Bowling	\$9	\$9	-
Week 3	Wed, June 13	Makutu's Island	\$15	\$15	-
Week 4	Wed, June 20	Amazing Jakes	\$24	\$24	\$12
Week 5	Thurs, June 28	Circus	\$19	\$19	-
Week 6	Tues, July 3	Movies	\$11	\$11	-
Week 7	Wed, July 11	Peter Piper	\$6	\$6	-
Week 8	Wed, July 18	Sunsplash	\$36	\$36	\$23

Each Friday the program will visit the Buckeye Aquatic Center for the cost of \$4

(Lil' Squirts Recreation fee is \$2) Trip requires swimsuit, sunscreen and towel. Participants are required to wear summer t-shirts on all trips. Outside participants are welcome to participate with purchase of a day pass and t-shirt. Permission forms must be turned in for each trip. All field trip dates and prices are tentative and subject to change or cancellation based on minimum registration. Field trips have limited availability and are filled on a first come basis.

BUCKEYE PARKS

PARKS & FACILITIES

Park Hours:

Most Town of Buckeye parks are open daily from dawn to 10 p.m.*

Ramadas, ball fields and multi-use fields are available to reserve:

Call Miranda Gomez at 623-349-6353 or email mgomez@buckeyeaz.gov to reserve a ball field or multi-use field at the Earl Edgar Recreational Facility. Some fees apply for ball field and multi-use field reservations. Call Steve Harrison for ramada reservations at 623-349-6605 or sharrison@buckeyeaz.gov

Procedures for reserving a ramada, ball field or multi-use field:

- Reservations are taken between
 Monday Thursday, from 7 a.m. 6 p.m. excluding holidays.
- Ramadas are available at Kell and Town Parks at no cost.
- Fees for ball field or multi-use fields must be paid prior to your approved reservation.

PARK LOCATIONS:

Earl Edgar Recreational Facility

500 S. First Street (Miller Road & Beloat)

Town Park

207 N. 9th Street Adjacent to the Aquatic Center

Kell Park

310 N. 6th Street Adjacent to the Library

Bayless Park

201 E. Hwy 85 On MC 85 (Monroe St.) west of the Police Station

Buckeye Skate Park

207 N. 9th Street *Open daily from 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

6th Street Park/Plaza

517 E. Monroe Ave. (Hwy 85) Across the street for Town Hall (6th & Monroe) *Open daily from 4 p.m. – 10 p.m.

Sundance Park

(Under Construction) Rainbow Rd. & Lower Buckeye

SPECIAL INTEREST CLASSES



DANCE COMBO

Using stories, props, and fun music your child will learn ballet, tap, jazz, and tumbling skills. A dance routine will be showcased to the parents on the last day of class.

Instructor: Steppin' Out Performing Arts www.steppinoutperformingarts.com Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class#	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location		
Ballet/Jazz							
3532 3519	6/12-7/17 7/31-9/4	Tues. Tues.	10-10:45 a.m. 10-10:45 a.m.		Rec. Ctr. Rec. Ctr.		
Tap/Ballet (tap shoes required)							
3522	6/12-7/17	Tues.	11-11:45 a.m.	3-5	Rec. Ctr.		
3533	7/31-9/4	Tues.	11-11:45 a.m.	3-5	Rec. Ctr.		
3523	6/13-7/25*	Wed.	4-4:45 p.m.	3-5	Rec. Ctr.		
3534	8/1-9/5	Wed.	4-4:45 p.m.	3-5	Rec. Ctr.		
Dance Combo II: Tap/Ballet (tap shoes required)							
3524	6/13-7/25*	Wed.	5-5:45 p.m.	5-8	Rec. Ctr.		
3535	8/1-9/5	Wed.	5-5:45 p.m.	5-8	Rec. Ctr.		
*No class on 7/4							

PARENT TOT TUMBLING

In these classes you will learn to teach your child to build strength, coordination, flexibility and large motor skills. Using props, stories, and fun music your child will gain a positive introduction to dance and tumbling basics. This is also a fun way to spend quality time with your child and meet new friends. One parent required to participate with child.

Instructor: Steppin' Out Performing Arts www.steppinoutperformingarts.com Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class#	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location		
Parent Tot Tumbling							
3520	6/12-7/17	Tues.	9-9:45 a.m.	2-5	Rec. Ctr.		
3521	7/31-9/4	Tues.	9-9-45 a m	2-5	Rec Ctr		

CHEER/HIP HOP COMBO

In this energized class, you will learn cheerleading basics such as arm movements, jumps, and stunts. You will also learn the newest hip hop dance styles and tricks that you see on TV. A dance routine will be showcased to the parents on the last day of class.

Instructor: Steppin' Out Performing Arts www.steppinoutperformingarts.com Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location	
3525	6/13-7/25*	Wed.	6-6:55 p.m.	6-12	Rec. Ctr.	
3536	8/1-9/5	Wed.	6-6:55 p.m.	6-12	Rec. Ctr.	
*No class on 7/4						

HIP HOP/BREAKDANCING

Hip Hop/Breakdancing is back in Buckeye! Great for boys and girls! The goal of this class is to introduce students to the basic moves of hip hop and give them a proper dance foundation while learning some of the freshest hip hop moves! A dance routine will be showcased to the parents on the last day of class.

Instructor: Steppin' Out Performing Arts www.steppinoutperformingarts.com

Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3526	6/12-7/17	Tues.	3-3:45 p.m.	5-7	Rec. Ctr.
3529	7/31-9/4	Tues.	3-3:45 p.m.	5-7	Rec. Ctr.
3527	6/12-7/17	Tues.	4-4:45 p.m.	8-14	Rec. Ctr
3530	7/31-9/4	Tues.	4-4:45 p.m.	8-14	Rec. Ctr.

GYMNASTICS

In this class your child will build strength, flexibility, and coordination. Children will be taught tumbling basics such as forward rolls, handstands, cartwheels, back walkovers and more! Each child will be encouraged to advance at his or her own pace safely. No experience necessary. A dance routine will be showcased to the parents on the last day of class.

Instructor: Steppin' Out Performing Arts www.steppinoutperformingarts.com

Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3550	6/12-7/17	Tues.	5-5:45 p.m.	3-6	Rec. Ctr.
3551	7/31-9/4	Tues.	5-5:45 p.m.	3-6	Rec. Ctr.
3552	6/12-7/17	Tues.	6-6:45 p.m.	7+	Rec. Ctr.
3553	7/31-9/4	Tues.	6-6:45 p.m.	7+	Rec. Ctr.

BOUNCING BABIES AND TUMBLING TOTS-FREE!

BBTT playgroup is a fun-filled and imaginative way to foster your child's early learning and development. Bring your little one to BBTT for an hour of climbing, crawling, along with a little learning! Babies and tots are welcome to enjoy a multitude of activities, while moms are able to "catch-up" with friends or join in on the fun!

Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location	
Every Thursday	9-10 a m	up to 3	Rec. Ctr.	



TOT TRIPLE PLAY MULTI-SPORT: SOCCER, BASEBALL, AND BASKETBALL

Introduce your little All-Star to an assortment of sports with BEST Sports' Multi-Sport program! This six week class will feature instruction from BEST Sports' most popular

programs like Soccer Tots, Lil' Sluggers, and Slam Dunkers focusing on each sport for two weeks! Please bring a soccer ball for the first two weeks and a basketball for the last two weeks with your child's name on it. All other equipment is supplied.

Instructor: Beginners Edge Sports Training

Resident: \$56 Non-Resident: \$66

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Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3556	6/9-7/14	Sat.	9-9:45 a.m.	4-5	Rec. Ctr.
3554	6/9-7/14	Sat.	10-10:45 a.m.	2	Rec. Ctr.
3555	6/9-7/14	Sat.	11-11:45 a.m.	3	Rec. Ctr.
3562	7/28-9/1	Sat.	9-9:45 a.m.	4-5	Rec. Ctr.
3560	7/28-9/1	Sat.	10-10:45 a.m.	2	Rec. Ctr.
3561	7/28-9/1	Sat.	11-11:45 a.m.	3	Rec. Ctr.

TOTALLY TENNIS

This tennis program is co-sponsored by the USA Team Tennis and will teach the basic racquet handling skills in a "match" atmosphere to allow for full participation. All equipment is provided.

Instructor: Tolson Totally Tennis
Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location	
3537	6/6-7/18*	Wed.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	4-7	Inca	
3538	6/6-7/18*	Wed.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	8-12	Inca	
3539	6/4-7/16*	Mon.	6-7 p.m.	8-12	BUHS	
3540	6/4-7/16*	Mon.	7-8 p.m.	13+	BUHS	
*No class 7/2 or 7/4						

MAXIMUM CARDIO COMBO

Join this total body conditioning exercise class that uses all the right moves to get you in shape and help you lose weight, burn fat, reduce stress, and more! You will challenge every muscle group in this intense class. This class combines a variety of aerobics styles, including kick boxing, pilates, and interval training to keep you moving. All fitness levels are welcome to join this fun and invigorating class that will kick you into shape! Bring your own weights and mat.

Instructor: Diann Barnes
Resident: \$18 Non-Resident: \$28
(See Fitness Special for a \$5 discount)

Class#	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3565	7/30-8/27	Mon.	5:30-6:15 p.m.	14+	BUHS
3570	8/1-8/29	Wed.	5:30-6:15 p.m.	14+	BUHS

PILATES

Using your mind to control your muscles is one of the best ways to give definition and tone to your body. Pilates does exactly this! To strengthen muscles and improve flexibility, participants will concentrate on personal alignment, posture, and finding their center.

Instructor: Diann Barnes

Resident: \$18 Non-Resident: \$28 (See Fitness Special for a \$5 discount

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3571	7/31-8/28	Tues.	5-6 p.m.	14+	BUHS

Fitness Class Special

Any participant registering for Maximum Cardio Combo, Pilates, Tighten and Tone, or Zumba will receive a \$5 discount when registering for a 2nd fitness class in the same month.

TIGHTEN & TONE

This is a fun and energetic class that will help you kick those extra pounds and get back into shape. Strength exercises will focus around the core areas of abs, arms, and legs while cardio exercises will burn off the fat and boost your energy. Learn all the basic moves to get tightened and toned. Bring mats and weights.

Instructor: Nga Bauman

Resident: \$12 Non-Resident: \$22 (August class \$15/\$25) (See Fitness Special for a \$5 discount)

Class#	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3574	6/7-6/21	Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.
3577	7/5-7/19	Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.
3578	8/2-8/23	Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.
3593	6/7-6/21	Thurs.	6-6:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.
3594	7/5-7/19	Thurs.	6-6:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.
3595	8/2-8/23	Thurs.	6-6:45 p.m.	14+	Rec. Ctr.



ZUMBA FITNESS

Put some spice into your workout! This unique and exciting high energy dance fitness class incorporates Latin movements and rhythms as well as a diversi-

fied mix of worldly exotic flavors such as Salsa, Merengue, Cumbia, Flamenco, Cha Cha and even Reggaeton! No experience necessary, no partner required.

Instructor: Gislaine Randall

(See Fitness Special for a \$5 discount) Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3580	6/7-6/28	Thurs.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.
3581	7/5-7/26	Thurs.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.
3582	8/2-8/23	Thurs.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.

SPECIAL INTEREST CLASSES

NEW PROGRAM! ZUMBA TONING

Put a muscle-defining twist on your Zumba workout with our Toning program! Zumba toning combines targeted body-sculpting exercises and high-energy cardio work with Latin-infused Zumba moves to create a calorie-torching, strength-training dance fitness party. If you haven't tried this type of dance workout yet you owe it to yourself to give it a try! Please bring 1-2 pound weights to class, or if desired, Zumba Toning Sticks will be available for purchase. Instructor: Gislaine Randall

(See Fitness Special for a \$5 discount) Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3603	6/5-6/26	Tues.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.
3604	7/3-7/24	Tues.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.
3605	8/7-8/28	Tues.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	10+	Inca Elem.

JUDO

Judo has a strict set of rules that governs competition and ensures safety. Learn basic judo which consists of throwing and grappling. Advanced students will learn about joint locking and choking techniques under guidance of an experienced Judo Sensei. Judo develops self-discipline and respect for oneself and others. New students need to purchase a judo uniform, information available during first class.

Resident: \$15 Non-Resident: \$25*

Additional testing fees collected by instructor if you choose to test into the next belt or rank.

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Ages	Location
3544	6/5-6/28	Tues./Thurs.	6:15-7:15 p.m.	6-12	YHS
3545	7/3-7/31	Tues./Thurs.	6:15-7:15 p.m.	6-12	YHS
3546	8/2-8/30	Tues./Thurs.	6:15-7:15 p.m.	6-12	YHS
3547	6/5-6/28	Tues./Thurs.	7:15-8:30 p.m.	13+	YHS
3548	7/3-7/31	Tues./Thurs.	7:15-8:30 p.m.	13+	YHS
3549	8/2-8/30	Tues./Thurs.	7:15-8:30 p.m.	13+	YHS

^{*\$50} National Judo Membership Fee due first day of class to instructor for all new registrations.



KARATE WITH CG MARTIAL ART Lil' Dragons Martial Arts (Ages 4-5)

This program provides our youngest students the proper foundation to make them successful in martial arts. Students will be introduced to the fundamentals by focusing on manners, respect, and self-control while learning balance, strength, flexibility, and basic techniques. This class

focuses on teaching students to do their personal best and not on being 'better' than others.

Tigers Martial Arts (Ages 6-7)

Students will learn a contemporary approach to sparring combinations, aerial kicking techniques, acrobatics and valuable self-defense skills. The focus of this class is to teach and reinforce the techniques that are universal to all martial arts while instilling the discipline and virtues of traditional martial arts.

Karate and Kung Fu (Ages 8+)

This class offers a great blend of traditional and contemporary training methods. The traditional aspect combines the philosophy and forms training from Japanese, Korean and Chinese martial arts. Contemporary training consists of a variety of calisthenics, pad work, sparring and real world self-defense. This mixture of old and new presents insightful information that cultivates the mind, body, and spirit.

Instructor: Chris Guffey www.cgmartialarts.com

Any family living under the same household will receive a \$10 discount for each additional registration after the first participant is paid for in full. This renews each month. Additional testing fees collected by instructor if you choose to test into the next belt or rank

Class#	Date(s) Day(s)	Time	Location	Price
Lil' Dragor	ns (ages 4-5)			
3508	6/5-6/26 Tues./Thurs.	4:30-5 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$45Res/\$55 Non-Res
3516	7/3-7/31*Tues./Thurs.	4:30-5 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$35Res/\$45 Non-Res
3513	8/2-8/28 Tues./Thurs.	4:30-5 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$50Res/\$60 Non-Res
Tigers (ag	es 6-7)			
3507	6/5-6/26 Tues./Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$45Res/\$55 Non-Res
3515	7/3-7/31*Tues./Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$35Res/\$45 Non-Res
3512	8/2-8/28 Tues./Thurs.	5-5:45 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$50Res/\$60 Non-Res
Karate an	d Kung Fu (ages 8-12)			
3509	6/5-6/26 Tues./Thurs.	5:45-6:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$45Res/\$55 Non-Res
3510	7/3-7/31*Tues./Thurs.	5:45-6:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$35Res/\$45 Non-Res
3517	8/2-8/28 Tues./Thurs.	5:45-6:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$50Res/\$60 Non-Res
Karate an	d Kung Fu (ages 13+)			
3518	6/5-6/26 Tues/Thurs.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$45Res/\$55 Non-Res
3511	7/3-7/31*Tues./Thurs.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$35Res/\$45 Non-Res
3514	8/2-8/28 Tues./Thurs.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	Rec. Ctr.	\$50Res/\$60 Non-Res

^{*} No class from 7/10 through 7/19

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NEW PROGRAM! STEM BY THE GIRL SCOUTS ARIZONA CACTUS-PINE

It's a Girl's World: Girl Scout Sampler (K-3rd)

Come discover, connect and take action as you share the fun and adventuring of girl scouting. Girls will take a journey quest exploring the world around them focusing on the earth, sky and the wonders of water. Activities will include creating tornadoes/hurricanes, making a personal herb garden, having a tea party and much, much more....

Girl Scouting to the Power of S.T.E.M. (4th+)

Come experience first-hand the fun and extreme adventure of building rocket cars, structural bridges, or volcanoes and much, much, more. Girls will explore Science, Technology, Engineering and Math [STEM] within a girl-led environment. Girl scouting is more than just "selling cookies & camping", it can help you make your world a better place to live and grow.

Instructor: Girl Scouts Cactus-Pine Staff Resident: \$10* Non-Resident: \$20*

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)	Time	Grades	Location
3583	6/4-6/25	Mon.	3-4:30 p.m.	K-3rd	Rec. Ctr.
3563	7/2-7/30	Mon.	3-4:30 p.m.	K-3rd	Rec. Ctr.
3584	8/6-8/27	Mon.	3-4:30 p.m.	K-3rd	Rec. Ctr.
3564	6/4-6/25	Mon.	4:45-6:45 p.m.	4th+	Rec. Ctr.
3585	7/2-7/30	Mon.	4:45-6:45 p.m	4th+	Rec. Ctr.
3586	8/6-8/27	Mon.	4:45-6:45 p.m	4th+	Rec. Ctr.

^{*}All new participants are required to pay a \$12 yearly dues that will be collected on the first day of class.

CPR & FIRST AID

Get CPR & First Aid certified! Learn CPR for adults, children and infants and how to deal with emergencies like bleeding, shock, burns, etc. This program satisfies OSHA and state childcare licensing requirements. Receive a 2 year certification after the successful completion of course.

Instructor: Cross' Lifeline Emergency Training

Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45

Class #	Date(s)	Day(s)Time	Ages	Location
3541	6/5	Tues.	6-9 p.m.	12+	Com. Ctr.
3542	7/12	Thurs.	6-9 p.m.	12+	Com. Ctr.
3543	8/23	Thurs.	6-9 p.m.	12+	Com. Ctr.



For more information on Special Interest Classes call 623-349-6350 or visit www.buckeyeaz.gov/sic

The Town of Buckeye Community Services
Department does not offer refunds unless
requested at least 4 business days prior to
the start of class. A \$2 processing fee will
be applied to all refunds.

Got a talent you'd like to share? The Town of Buckeye Community Services Department is looking for skilled instructors in art, music, preschool classes, cake decoration, and other varieties of classes. If you are interested, please contact Ben Florine at bflorine@buckeyeaz.gov or 623-349-6354. Liability insurance, background checks, and CPR/First Aid certification may be required.

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DR. SAIDE RECREATION CENTER

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Dr. Saide Recreation Center 1003 E. Eason Ave. Buckeye, AZ 85326 623-349-6350 - Office 623-349-6356 - Fax

Hours of Operation: Monday - Thursday 9am - 7pm

Closed May 28, 2012 (Memorial Day) July 4, 2012 (Independence Day)



DR. SAIDE RECREATION CENTER

Drop Zone Program

Hey Buckeye kids and teens! Looking for a cool place to kick back with some friends? The Drop Zone is your one-stop spot for fun games and a chill atmosphere. Challenge your friends on Wii or Xbox 360, or get a game in on any of our pool, foosball, or ping-pong tables. Surf the internet or hop in on a game of basketball. The fun is all here, just come, sign in, and enjoy!

All ages welcome Times: Monday - Thursday Open Gym: Mondays, Wednesdays

Friday - Sunday Closed

ACTIVITIES @ THE REC CENTER

Gamers Pluggin' In

Thursdays from 2 - 4:45 p.m. Ages 13+. Meet up with your fellow gamers this Summer for a few hours of dialing into the digital world! You supply the laptop and your favorite online game*, we supply the Wi-Fi and the electricity! Gamers can play alone or with friends on any of the most popular online games including: League of Legends, Runescape, Star Craft, and World of Warcraft.

The Drop Zone will be closed on 5/28 and 7/4

*Recreation Center will not provide games or game disks. Games played will be determined by the participants and must be downloaded onto their computer using their own hardware. Any games present may not exceed the Entertainment Software Rating Board's TEEN+ rating (ages 13 and up).

Desserts & Delights

Mondays at 3 p.m. Learn the basics of cooking while making delicious desserts, fun appetizers, and drinks. Proper food handling, introduction to measurement, and beginning baking will be introduced.

Buckeye Encourages Active Teens

(B.E.A.T.)

First Monday of every month at 5 p.m. Join B.E.A.T. and begin planning and promoting teen programs, events and community service projects you want to do! Why should staff make all the decisions? Let your voice be heard and make a difference in YOUR community!

Leaders in Training (L.I.T.)

Got a few extra hours to spare? Think

Recreation is a FUN job? The L.I.T. program will give you hands-on-experience in the dayto-day operations of the field while developing leadership skills and fostering personal growth. You'll experience the "behind-the scenes" of what it takes to implement various programs in Sports, Special Events, and Youth, Teen & Family areas through staff interactions, projects, and volunteer opportunities.

2 - 7p.m.

Teens Summer Kick-Off Pool Party!

Summer is just starting, so come kick it off with an awesome evening full of swimming, games, food, and fresh tunes at the annual teens pool party!

Date: Saturday, May 19, 2012

Admission: \$4 (Includes free hot dog & punch)

Snacks available for purchase

Time: 6 - 9 p.m. Ages: 10 - 17

Location: Buckeye Aquatic Center -

207 N. 9th Street

Teens Summer Splash Nights

Join us at the Buckeye Aquatic Center for the Friday night Teen Splash Nights! Each Splash Night teens are invited for a night of music, games, swimming and fun! Don't miss out on these chances to fly off the high-dive, rip down the slide, or lounge poolside with your friends!

Date: June 22, July 20, August 17

Admission: \$4 per person (includes hot dog and punch)

Time: 6 - 9 p.m. Ages: 10 - 17

Location: Buckeye Aquatic Center -

207 N. 9th Street



BUCKEYE SENIOR PROGRAM

Buckeye Community Center 201 E. Centre Ave.

> Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 8 AM - 5 PM

623-349-6600 or visit us at www.buckeyeaz.gov/seniorprogram

> HOLIDAY SCHEDULE . Closed:

> > May 28

(Memorial Day) July 4

(Independence Day)

Senior Program: Individuals age 60 + have the opportunity to participate in a variety of programs, activities and services designed for today's active adult. Core program areas include: Health and Wellness. Food and Nutrition Services. Education and Socialization. The monthly T.A.L.K. newsletter, available at the Buckeye Community Center or online, provides more detailed information about senior programs and services.

Town of Buckeye Senior Site Council:

The Buckeye Senior Program Site Council meets the second Wednesday of each month to advise the Buckeye Senior Program staff members on matters relating to the delivery of services. The site council serves as an advisory committee to the senior program staff and is not a separate entity from the senior program. The Site Council's key functions are advising, coordinating, planning, evaluating, implementing and advocating.

Meeting Dates:

9 – 9:30 a.m. June 13 9 - 9:30 a.m. July 11 August 8 9 – 9:30 a.m.

MEAL PROGRAMS:

Congregate Meal Program -The Buckeye Senior Program serves lunch daily from 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Recommended Contribution for seniors 60 + is \$2.00; guest lunch fee \$5.00. The monthly lunch menu is available at Buckeye Senior Center the or online at

www.buckeyeaz.gov/seniorprogram

Home Delivered Meals - Provided to home bound seniors. All home delivered meal clients must be assessed and authorized through case managers from Area Agency on Aging. For more information regarding Home Delivered Meals contact the

Senior HELP-LINE at (602) 264-HELP (4357).

Health & Wellness:

- Silver Sneakers Fitness Program
- Senior Wii Bowling League
- Exercise/Equipment Room
- Health and Wellness Presentations
- Small Steps to a Better Life
- Hot Steppers Dance Group
- Senior Patio Garden

- Reading Programs & Book Discussions
- Computer Lab
- Senior Publications
- Library Services

Socialization:

- Blanketeers Blanket Bees
- Arts & Craft
- Birthday Bashes/Special Programs
- Lunch Bunch Outings
- Senior Bingo
- Donuts and DVD's
- Good Mail Day
- Seniors on the Go!

Senior Monthly Parties:

The Buckeye Senior Program conducts numerous exciting special events, themed to the holiday seasons and eras. Join us for some dancing, entertainment, good eats, laughter and fun. Special Events take place at the Buckeye Community Center from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

June 15 Under the Sea Party July 20 American Classics Party August 17 Beauty and the Geek Party

SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

Senior Birthday Bash: Come celebrate your birthday with us. The Birthday celebration happens the 2nd Friday of each month from 11 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Just remember you're not getting older, you're getting better! June 8, July 13, August 10

Pancake Breakfast

Wednesday, August 1 from 8 a.m -9:30 a.m.

Senior Texas Hold 'em-Point Base Poker League (Free/NO Buy-In)

Tournament Held Every Tuesday

1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Ten week playing schedule, tournament will be held on the tenth week.

May 15 - July 17

(Tournament on July 17)

July 24 – September 25

(Tournament on September 25)

Senior Shopping Trip:

Need a ride to the local grocery store? On the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. the Buckeye Senior Program offers Buckeye residents transportation to one of our local businesses. Please call Town of Buckeye Senior Program for more information. Some restrictions apply. June 19, July 17, August 21.

Seniors Hittin' the Road Trips:

Senior outings are scheduled each month throughout the valley and surrounding areas. Outings include: casino trips, shopping, movies, musicals & plays, mystery trips, and much more. Pick up our senior newsletter or visit our website for additional outing dates.

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June	
Tuesday, 5	Vee Quiva Casino
Tuesday, 12	Mystery Trip
Thursday, 21	Lunch Bunch -
	Texas Roadhouse
Tuesday, 26	Seniors on the Go!
Thursday, 28	Shopping – Outlet mall

July	
Tuesday, 3	Silver Screeners
Tuesday, 10	Castle Casino (Subject
change)	
Thursday, 12	Grease – Evening trip
Tuesday, 17	Mystery Trip
Tuesday, 24	Seniors on the Go!
Thursday, 26	Lunch Bunch -
•	Rainforest Café &
	A7 Mills

to

August

Tuesday, /	Ft. McDowell Casino
Thursday, 9	Silver Screeners
Tuesday, 14	Mystery Trip
Thursday, 23	Lunch Bunch -
	Hayashi
Tuesday, 28	Seniors on the Go!

Senior Wii Bowling League:

Do you love to bowl, but have a difficult time? Come join the Buckeye Senior Program and bring a friend for the Wii Bowling League. Mondays from 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Summer League Starts June 4 Registration begins Wednesday, May 23





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Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9 AM – 6 PM Tuesday, Thursday 9 AM – 7 PM Closed Saturday & Sunday

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE Closed:

May 28 (Memorial Day) July 4 (Independence Day)

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"Like" us on **Facebook** and always know the latest and greatest events happening at the Library.



BUCKEYE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Jump into Summer Reading at the Buckeye Library

Registration begins May 24 online at www.mcldaz.org/summer

Children of all ages (parents may assist toddlers) can read to earn age appropriate prizes at the Buckeye Public Library, May 24 - July 20. Registration may also be done at the library or on the bookmobile. Prizes will be available throughout the program and the week following at the Library and on the bookmobile.

Summer programming includes scheduled performers for younger children and teens.

Summer Children's Programming

Every Wednesday 10:15 a.m. Dr. Saide Recreation Center 1003 E. Eason Ave, Buckeye

May 30 - Kickoff Party at the Buckeye Aquatic Center

June 6 - Jerry Layne (Ventriloquist)

June 13 – Arizona Ric (Balloons & Stories)

June 20 – Wildman Phil (Animal presentation)

June 27 – James Reid (Juggler)

July 4 – No morning program...come celebrate at the Town of Buckeye's Independence Day Celebration at Youngker High School (6 p.m. – 9:30 p.m)

July 11 – Doggies of the West (Variety-magic & stunts)

July 18 - Mystery Performance

July 25 – Splish Splash Bash at Kell Park (next to the library)

Summer Teen Programming

Check the library calendar or website for special teen programming during the summer.

Online Services with your Library Card

***New...Universal Class:

Check out our newest online service, Universal Class. This program offers over 500 online continuing education classes. All the classes are offered online for free. The only thing you need is a Buckeye Library Card. Take a look at all the different topics that are covered. This is a great way to gain additional skills or knowledge that could give you an advantage in whatever you are pursuing. Look for Universal Class on our website at www.buckeyeaz.gov/library

Do You Have a Buckeye Library Card?

You can now sign up online at buckeyeaz.gov/library

You don't even have to be a Buckeye resident. Bring in your photo ID and get a Buckeye Library Card. (Note: If your ID does NOT have your current address, you will need to bring in a piece of mail or utility bill with your name and current address.)

Just sign up online, bring your ID in and pick up your Buckeye library card.

Fast - Easy - Free! Questions...call 623-349-6300.

Free Downloadable Music:

Freegal Music is now available. Using your Buckeye library card you are allowed to download up to three songs per week for free. Check out our website at www.buckeyeaz.gov/library

Learn a New Language:

Learn a new language from home using our online resource, Rocket Languages. This interactive program is designed to assist your learning a new language at your pace. The program is available for free with your Buckeye library card at www.buckeyeaz.gov/library

Are you job searching?

Come use our new Virtual Workforce Workstation computer and printer to assist you in your employment search. Check in at the front desk to use the station. If you need assistance using the program, please schedule an appointment. Contact Kristie McCarthy at 623-349-6301 for more information.

Support the Friends of the Buckeye Library

Donate BOOKS: The Friends' Gently Used Book Sales raise funds to support library programming. We need your gently used books...Your book donations allow us to continue offering quality programs for the entire community.

Donate YARD SALE ITEMS: Friends of the Library Yard Sale - 3rd Friday of each month (7 – 11 a.m.) You can't beat the Library Yard Sale when it comes to finding great bargains and awesome treasures. Join us! - All new merchandise every month.

BUCKEYE BOOKMOBILE:



The Buckeye Public Library is bringing the library to you when the Bookmobile visits the communities of Festival Ranch, Sundance, Tartesso, Buena Vista and Verrado on Thursdays and Saturdays each week. Patrons are able to check out books, renew materials, place holds on materials and sign up for a new library card. Any materials at the Buckeye

Public Library can be reserved and delivered on the bookmobile. You can keep up with the schedule online at http://buckeyeaz.gov/library or give us a call at 623.349.6300.

Festival Sage Rec. Center

26501 W. Desert Vista Blvd.

Festival Foothills Park

26252 W. Desert Vista Blvd.

Sundance Active Adult Center

930 S. Sundance Parkway

Tartesso Park

29500 W. Tartesso Parkway

Verrado:

(by Basha's) Corner of W. Main St & Market Pl.

Buena Vista Mobile Home Park:

2000 S. Apache Rd.

SPRING 2012 BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Location
June 2	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
June 9	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
June 14	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
June 16	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
June 23	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
June 28	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
June 30	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
July 7	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
July 12	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
July 14	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
July 21	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
July 26	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
July 28	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
August 4	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
August 9	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
August 11	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista
August 18	9:00-Noon 1:00-4:00	Sundance Active Adult Center Tartesso Park
August 23	9:00-Noon 1:30-4:00	Festival Sage Rec. Center Festival Foothills Park
August 25	9:00-1:00 2:00-4:00	Verrado (by Basha's) Buena Vista

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Story Time: Suspended for Summer

In order to allow for our summer reading program story times are suspended. Normal programming will resume August 14, 2012.

LEGO Play Day

Every Friday at 3 - 4:30 p.m.
Kids young and old are invited to come play and create with the library's collection of LEGOs and DUPLOs.
Please leave your own LEGOs at



home and bring your imagination!
No registration needed – just drop in!
*(as a reminder...we are collecting LEGO and DUPLO donations)

ADULT PROGRAMMING

- Book Discussions
- ESL Conversational Group

Looking for Volunteers for English as a Second Language Tutoring: We are looking for volunteers to work with adults seeking help with improving their English skills. If you would enjoy working with individuals or a small group helping them improve their English skills you will make a great volunteer. Training is provided. Contact Kristie McCarthy at 623.349.6301 or kmccarthy@buckeyeaz.gov for details.



BUCKEYE VALLEY MUSEUM

Buckeye Valley Museum 116 E. Highway 85 Buckeye, AZ 85326 (southeast corner of Town Park) P: 623.349.6315 www.buckeyeaz.gov/museum

Hours of Operation: (Summer)

June: By appointment only*
July & August: Closed

*To schedule an appointment for an individual or group tours call the Buckeye Public Library at 623.349.6312

For more information:

Call 623.349.6315 or 623.349.6312 clarson@buckeyeaz.gov

BUCKEYE SPORTS

Adult Slow-Pitch Softball Leagues

Each league can accommodate up to 8 teams. Registration includes double-round robin league play with a post season single-elimination tournament, game balls and officials. There are four game times per night with no new inning started after 55 minutes of accelerated play (each batter starts with a one and one count). Teams may have a minimum of 10 players and a maximum of 18 players on their roster. Manager's meeting is **Monday, June 25 from 6:30 p.m. — 7:30 p.m. at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center.**

Registration Opens Tuesday May 29, 2012: - Non-Residents \$425/Residents* \$400 (Teams must consist of 60% Buckeye residents)

Division	Age	Location	Games	Times	League Begins
Coed "C" League	18+	Earl Edgar Facility	Friday	6-10 p.m.	July 6
Coed "D" League	18+	Earl Edgar Facility	Sunday	6-10 p.m.	July 1
Men's League	18+	Earl Edgar Facility	Tuesday	6-10 p.m.	July 10

Family Dodgeball Tournament

Saturday, August 25, 2012 - Youngker High School Gym

Come one come all! Get your family, friends and neighbors together for a team to enjoy this fun-filled day! All ages welcome over the age of 7 years old. Teams are required to have a team name and theme; be CREATIVE! Tournament proceeds will benefit the funding for the renovations of the Earl Edgar Softball Fields. Minimum of 8 family teams needed to host tournament. Teams should consist of at least 8 players but no more than 15 players.

REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY! First come, first serve – Pre-registration required. No-on site, day of registrations will be accepted. **Non-Residents \$100/Residents* \$75** (Teams must consist of 60% Buckeye residents)

Fall Youth - Baseball and Soccer Leagues

Now accepting Early Bird Registrations. Hurry in, season starts in September!

Kick, catch and slide into this fall youth sports season. Each sport will focus on skill development, teamwork and sportsmanship. Registration includes a seven week game schedule, practices, team shirt and a participation award. Games are held each Saturday. **Practice times, days, and locations are determined by the volunteer coach.**

Don't miss out! The registration deadline is August 18 at Peter Piper Pizza on Watson Rd. from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Registrations are accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center

Monday – Thursday from 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. Division of play is determined by player's age as of September 22, 2012. Games are each Saturday, September 22 through November 3, 2012

Early Bird Registration: Ends - July 5

Residents \$40 / Non-Residents \$50 **Registration:** July 9 – August 18 Residents \$50 / Non-Residents \$60 **Late Registration:** After August 20 Residents \$60 / Non-Residents \$70

League	Division	Age as of 9/24	Registration Code
Soccer (Coed)	Pee Wee	4-6	3600
	Midget	7-9	3601
	Rookie	10-13	3602
Baseball (Coed)	T-Ball	4-5	3596
	Coach Pitch	6-7	3697
	Kid Pitch	8-9	3698
	Fast Pitch Majors	10-14	3699

Coaches Meeting:

The new coaches meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 29 at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. All coaches will be able to pick up equipment and training materials at this meeting.

Parents Meeting:

There will be a parent meeting on Wednesday, September 12 at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center from 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Parents who are new to the Town of Buckeye youth sports program are encouraged to attend.

For more information on youth and adult sports or our volunteer coach credit program, contact 623-349-6350 or Jessica Thompson at 623-349-6613 or jthompson@buckeyeaz.gov









Kid's B.A.S.E. Locations:

Sundance Elementary 23800 W. Hadley Rd.

Jasinski Elementary 4280 S. 246th Ave.

West Park Elementary
Transportation is provided to Jasinski
site for PM care. Space is limited.

Inca Elementary 23601 W. Durango St.

Bales Elementary 25400 W. Maricopa Rd.

Tartesso Elementary 29677 W. Indianola Rd.

KIDS B.A.S.E. PROGRAMS

Before & After School Enrichment Program The Kid's B.A.S.E. (Before and After School Enrichment) Program provides a safe and exciting place for children, enrolled in Kindergarten - 8th grade, to be in out-ofschool time. The mission of the Kid's B.A.S.E. program is to provide an environment that keeps youth safe while preparing them for success. Our creative programming will enhance self confidence, self expression, social skills and cognitive skills while keeping youth physically active. This program is state licensed and regulated by the Arizona Department of Health Services and can accept DES funding for qualifying families. Program sites are open on early release days; however are closed on national holidays or when school campus is closed.

Registration packets with more detailed information are available at each site, the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. or can be downloaded online at www.buckeyeaz.gov/base. Copy of immunization records must be provided at time of registration.

The Kid's BASE Program is funded solely by program fees. If you need assistance with fees, contact the Arizona Department of Economic Security at 623-925-0095.

Save \$10! Early Bird Registration is May 7 – July 12, 2012 for the 2012-2013 school year accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center – 1003. E. Eason Ave

Times:

Before Care: 6 a.m. – Start of School Extended Care: Early Release time for K - 3 grade (Tartesso Elementary) After Care: End of School – 6:30 p.m.

Registration Fee: One time registration fee of \$25 plus first week of program fee. \$15 early bird registration is May 7 – July 12, 2012.

Program Fees:

Before Care \$20/Week or \$5/Day Extended Care \$15/Week or \$4/Day

(Tartesso Elementary)
After Care \$50/Week or \$11/Day



Lil' Squirts Play Time -

Lil' Squirts Play Time is the perfect environment for your child to learn, grow and make friends as they participate in various activities such as arts and crafts. group games, creativity development, music, imaginative play and developing language skills. Children must be fully toilet trained and able to feed themselves. Birth certificate and immunization records must be provided at time of registration. Lil' Squirts Preschool program is a DES accepted. licensed program. Registration is first come first serve (Maximum of 35 participants) and must be done at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave. Accepting registrations for the 2012-2013

When: August 13 – May 23, 2013 Days: Monday – Thursday

at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center!

Ages: Youth ages 3-5 Time: 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Fee: \$25 one-time registration fee; \$45/week

school year starting May 21, 2012 at 9 a.m.

The program will be closed for national and school holidays.

The Lil' Squirts Preschool Program is funded solely by program fees. If you need assistance with fees, contact the Arizona Department of Economic Security at 623-925-0095



For more information on the Lil' Squirts or Kid's BASE programs call 623-349-6350.